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CHIGNIK COMMERCIAL SALMON FISHERY ANNOUNCEMENT # 06

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The current commercial salmon fishing period in the **Chignik Bay, Central, and Eastern districts** as well as the **Inner Castle Cape Subsection of the Western District (273-93)** **will be extended** for an additional **72 hours from 11:59 p.m. Monday, June 18 until 11:59 p.m. Thursday, June 21.**

The **Western District**, excluding the Inner Castle Cape Subsection, **will open** to commercial salmon fishing for **48 hours beginning at 12:01 a.m. Wednesday, June 20 until 11:59 p.m. Thursday, June 21.**

Closed Waters Adjustment:

Effective **5:00 p.m. Monday, June 18** the Chignik Lagoon markers will move to Mensis Point.

Statistical charts, harvest strategies, and subsistence fishing permits are available at the Chignik weir and the Kodiak regional ADF&G offices. Commercial fishing regulations, salmon harvest, escapement, and news releases can be found on the ADF&G website at <http://www.adfg.alaska.gov/index.cfm?adfg=commercialbyareachignik.salmon>. Fishermen are encouraged to standby on VHF Channel 6 at 9:15 a.m. and 6:15 p.m. daily for fishery updates.

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